

# NEWS and VIEWS - APRIL 2015

Cincinnati Ohio Unit - WBCCI

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**FROM YOUR  
PRESIDENT.....**

**Bill Grawe**

Dear Members;

Well, the Grawe. Tompson. and Drake snow birds have returned from Florida. And, ugh, the weather here is cold and rainy.☺

The **St. Patrick's day brunch** was attended by the following: Agnes Biehle, Mary Hack, Mark Kennedy, Darren Baker, Donald and Janet Kendig, Tom and Gail Warren, Rich and Elaine Barrick, Al and JoAnn Fluegeman, Dave and Linda Mueller, Jenn Reinshagen, and newcomer, Steve Smooker. It is always great fun to get together with Airstream friends and "catch up" with news.

It's time to plan to attend the Soup Rally at Xenia, Ohio. You must make reservations to partake in the Friday night catered "Hobo" meal. The cost is \$11 per person. A description follows in the Rally Schedule. Please contact Janet and Don Kendig at 937-572-1725 with your confirmation of attendance. **You must call by April 17.** Also, if you wish to play golf, call Sonny Thompson at 937-879-9743 and let him know of your interest.

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**JOINT SOUP HOBO RALLY**  
Cincinnati, Miami Valley & Columbus  
APRIL 23 - 26  
GREEN COUNTY FAIRGROUND  
XENIA, OHIO

This is a Buddy Rally, so invite a friend (in a self contained camper).

Contact hosts, Janet and Don Kendig at 937-572-1725, if you plan to join this fun rally.

## Hobo Rally Schedule:

Thursday: **Noon**, golf, contact Sonny Thompson if you wish to play - 937-879-9743

Friday: **7:30 AM** Miami Valley prepares breakfast. Bring your table service. Coffee on site. The "Hobo" bags (checkered handkerchiefs) will be passed out. *Pack these with items you think will be necessary for your "hobo" life. The contents will be judged Saturday. PLAN AHEAD!!!*

**9:30 AM** Tour - Charley Sparks farm.

**Noon** - Lunch on your own.

**1:00 - 5:00 PM** Crafts, & Miami Valley organized games.

**5:00 PM** - Catered Hobo meal, \$11 per person by **reservation** only. Includes your choice of meat, potato salad, fixings, and Don Hetzler's (Miami Valley) special "peach cobbler". Also included will be Don Kendig's special deviled eggs.

**RSVP Janet or Don Kendig**  
**937 572 1725 by APRIL 17**

**7:00 PM** - Social, bring snacks to share, games if you wish

Saturday **7:30 AM** - Cincinnati prepares pancake breakfast, bring your table setting. Coffee on site.  
**9:00 AM** - Pay rally fee (\$20) & camping fee (\$20 per night).  
**10:00 AM** - Cincinnati Unit business meeting.  
**11:00 AM & 1:00 PM** - Miami Valley & Columbus Units business meetings.  
**Noon** - Lunch on your own.  
**3:00 PM** - The "HOB0" bag judging begins. Prizes will be awarded.  
**5:00 PM** - Soup and salad are served. Bring your table service, drink and soup bowl. YUM, YUM The Columbus Unit is providing cake for dessert.  
**7:00 PM** Auction of donated "treasures". Donate your white elephant stuff and look for those things you cannot live without.  
(Cincinnati Unit's only fund raiser for the year)

Sunday: **9:00 AM** - Church Service.  
**11:00 AM** - Lunch, leftover soup and bring a dish to share.  
Depart at your leisure. Dump is available on site

## Directions

From the center of Xenia, drive North on US 68. Turn left on W. Ankenay Rd., which becomes Fairground Road. Turn right at the first entrance to the fairgrounds. We park on the far left side of the fairground. See you there.

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Reminders: Mark your calendar!

The **Region 4 Rally**, May 18 - 24 at the Richland County Fairgrounds, Mansfield, Ohio. The theme is "Roundup the Wagon Train". The coupon is in the Region 4 Newsletter.

The **International Rally**, June 26 - July 4 st Farmington, New Mexico. The theme is "Explore the

Possibilities". The coupon and directions are in the Blue Beret.

The Cincinnati Units next Rally, the **Summer Rally**, is returning to the Poor Farmers RV Park in Fletcher, Ohio. This is a joint rally with th Miami Valley and Aulglaze Units.

The **September Rally** will be a caravan ending in Detroit Michigan. We plan to visit the Ford Musieum at Dearborn.

The October **Turkey Rally** is scheduled for the first wekend, Oct 1 - 4.

November 14 brings us to the **Havest Brunch** at the Golden Corral.

December 6 is our annual **Christmas Party** at the Manor House, Springdale, Ohio.

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The well equipped "Hobo".